These factors are consistent with a conversation on Monday, December 9, 1997.

Conversation # 41:

Friday, December 12, 1997
Tape 23, side A, fifth conversation on tape.
Transcript pages: 57-68.

Conversation # 42:

Friday, December 12, 1997
Tape 23, side B, sixth conversation on tape.
Transcript pages: 68-127.

Conversation # 43:

Friday, December 12, 1997
Tape 23, side B, eighth conversation on tape.
Transcript pages: 127-131.

These Conversations Appear On A Tape That Exhibits Signs of Duplication.

These three segments on tape 23 were likely two different conversations held on the same night. Because they concern the same subject matter (Ms. Tripp's meeting with her attorney regarding the subpoena she received in the Jones case), and because they wrap around two sides of the same cassette tape (conversation 39 ends side A and conversation 40 begins side B of tape 23) conversation 39 and conversation 40 are most likely the same discussion interrupted by side A of the tape's running out.

Conversation 41 is most likely a new conversation on the same night. In conversation 41, Ms. Lewinsky reads a letter she composed to the President. The letter concerns suggestions on how to settle the <u>Jones</u> case. <u>See</u> T23 at 129. Ms. Tripp and Ms. Lewinsky discussed this issue in conversation 40. <u>See</u> T23 at 88.